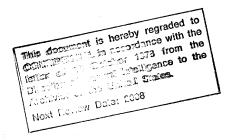


2. A total of 1.8 million hectares has been seeded with winter seeds, half of it with rye. About 0.7 million hectares will have to be seeded again because of the almost complete destruction of the seeds. It seems questionable whether the seed for this acreage can be provided; for grain alone, 100,000 tons are considered needed. As a result, great losses have to be expected in the harvest of grain and oil plants, since spring sowing in general is less productive than fall sowing. This would cause a further decrease of yield in 1947.



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